PTO/SB/22 (12-04) Approved for use through 7/31/2006. OMB 0651-0031 U.S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless if displays a valid OMB control number Docket Number (Optional) ETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) 49917(70868) FY 2005 (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).) Filed October 3, 2000 09/600,936 Application Number IMAGE PROCESSING DEVICE AND METHOD For Art Unit 2621 Examiner P. L. Edwards This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application. The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below): <u>Fee</u> **Small Entity Fee** \$60 \$ One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) \$120 Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) \$450 \$225 450.00 \$510 Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) \$1020 Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) \$1590 \$795 Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) \$2160 \$1080 \$ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached. The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account. The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 04-1105 . I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. I am the applicant/inventor. assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96). attorney or agent of record. Registration Number attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34. Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34 May 30, 2006 Date Peter J. Manus (617) 439-4444 Typed or printed name Telephone Number NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more 06/02/2006 TBESHAH1 00000015 041105 09600936 01 FC:1252 Total of forms are submitted. 450.00 DA I hereby certify that this paper (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as

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